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G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
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Hongkong, December 8, 1897. 2169


Shipping.

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The Steamship
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Captain NERSON, will be
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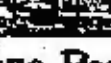
Agents.
Hongkong, December 1, 1892. 2110

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.
FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Steamship *Glenfalloch*,
Lieut. T. DUFF, R.N.

above TO-MORROW, the 10th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, December 9, 1893. 2152

FOR SHANGHAI.
The Steamship



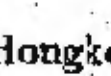
The Steamship
Legation,

Capt. J. H. RUMFORD, will be
despatched for the above Port on **SATURDAY, the 10th Inst.**
at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SHEPPESSEN & Co.
Hongkong, December 7, 1892. 2144

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The Steamship
King.

Capt. PINKHAM, will be
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Hongkong, November 29, 1892. 1880

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

The Co.'s Steamship
Formosa,
Captain HALL, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on **SUNDAY, the 11th Instant, at**
Daylight.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
General Managers

General Managers.
Hongkong, December 3, 1892. 2160

**THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL.

 The Co.'s Steamship
"Albatross"
H. L. ALLAN, Commander,
will be despatched as
above on or about the 14th instant.

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, December 3, 1892. 2107

SHIKU LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
See List of Agents.

 The Steamship
Pembroke

 *Pembrokehire*,
Captain F. GEDDS, will
be despatched as above
on or about THURSDAY, the 15th Inst.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, December 7, 1892. 21422
**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,
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The Co.'s Steamship

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Hongkong, November 30, 1892. 2004

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Hongkong, November 11, 1892. 1924

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where seats can be booked.

Hongkong, December 9, 1892. 2151

LEAP FROM THE CLOUDS.

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BY

SIGNOR LEO HERNANDEZ.

CAUSEWAY BAY.

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Hongkong, December 9, 1892. 2147

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also Accommodation for TABLE BOARDERS.

Hongkong, July 4, 1892. 1094

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WASHBURN'S BOOKS, for the use

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YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, TO-

MORROW, 10th December, at 1 p.m.,

taking Passengers and Freight to Japan,

the United States, and Europe.

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falo, N.Y. 311.00

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4 months ... \$337.50

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Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-

embarking at San Francisco for China or

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allowed a discount of 10 % from Return

Fare. This allowance does not apply to

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Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-

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pany's and connecting Steamers.

Freight will be received on board until

5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel

Postage will be received at the office until

5 p.m., same day, all Parcel Postage

should be marked as parcels in full; val-

ue of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to ports beyond San Francisco

in the United States, should be sent to the

Company's Office in Sausalito, California,

addressed to the Collector of Customs at San

Francisco.

For further information as to Passage

and Freight, apply to the Agency or the

Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN,

Agent.

Hongkong, December 9, 1892. 2043

To-day's Advertisements.

THE STRAITS FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—SINGAPORE.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Interim

DIVIDEND at the Rate of 5 % has

been declared by the Board of Directors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from 21st December, 1892

to 3rd January, 1893.

By Order of the Directors.

W. MACBEAN,

Agent,

HONGKONG BRANCH.

Hongkong, December 9, 1892. 2161

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

The Co.'s Steamship

Titon,

Captain Brown, will be

dispatched as above on

FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 9, 1892. 2160

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE, LONDON,

HAMBURG AND ANTWERP.

The Steamship

Glamorganshire,

Capt. D. DAVIES, will be

dispatched as above on

about FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant.

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DODWELL, CARILL & Co.,

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Hongkong, December 9, 1892. 2163

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